## Town of Sun Prairie

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Village of Cottage Grove 221 E. Cottage Grove Rd Cottage Grove, WI 53527

Dear Mr. Williams,

The Town of Sun Prairie would like to reengage with the Village on discussions of mutual interest. Neighboring communities that share a common border have a variety of issues in common.

Matters of public safety, transportation planning, water quality, farmland preservation and orderly development are issues that transcend municipal borders and impact all parties. We would like to initiate discussions on issues of common interest and pursue a negotiation that may lead to a boundary agreement that could guide both municipalities relationship in the future.

The successful conclusion of a boundary agreement would provide a template for current and future relations of the Village and the Town and foster collaboration on critical issues for both parties. Absent such an agreement, each party would seek to maximize its own interest, resulting in unnecessary conflict and providing a disservice to the residents of both the Town and the Village.

Sincerely,

Lyle Updike, Chairperson Town of Sun Prairie

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Cc: Stephen Steinhoff